

If your STS do not receive sullage

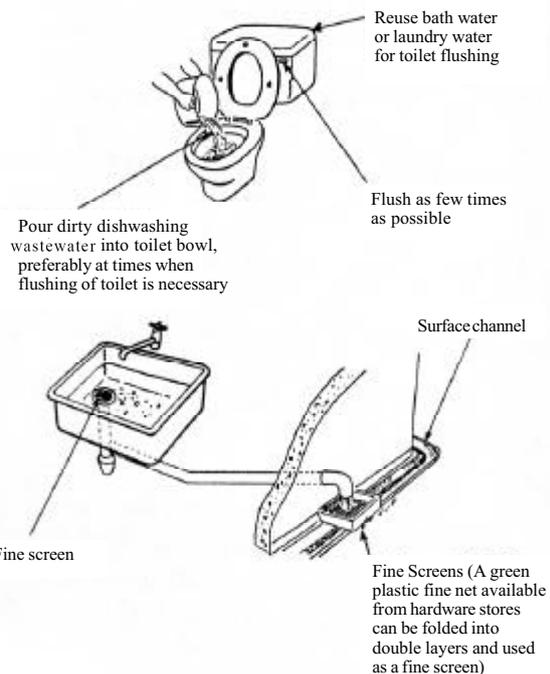
20. If your STS do not receive sullage, you should adopt all practicable means to reduce the amount of pollutants in the sullage that you discharge into surface channels.

You should:

- discharge only wastewater containing very little pollutants via fine screens into surface channels,
- dispose of dirty dishwashing wastewater via toilet bowl into your STS, and
- minimize your water usage to ensure that your STS is not overloaded.

21. You should properly maintain your surface channels and ensure that your wastewater discharge will not pond in surface channels or fields nearby and become a source of pollution.

22. Sullage discharged into surface channels shall not contain any waste or polluting matter such as faeces, blood and waste from slaughtering livestock, sludge or solid refuse of any kind, food residues or other waste that are liable to form scum or deposit. Only relatively clear wastewater reasonably free of chemicals, visible solids, oil and foam, and discharged via fine screens, may be permitted to be disposed of into surface channels.



If you do not have a STS

23. If you do not have a STS and you are not served by a communal sewer, you should:

- NOT install or use a flushing toilet in your house, (see paragraph 24 if you want to use a flushing toilet)
- use public latrines and public bath-houses as far as possible,
- dispose of night soil properly, e.g. to public latrines,
- put food residues, etc., into your garbage bin,
- dispose of sullage via fine screens, and remove the screenings into your garbage bin, and
- pay special attention to paragraphs 21 and 22 above.

If you have or are planning for a flushing toilet in your house, you should install a proper wastewater disposal system (e.g. a STS).